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Minister satisfied with Burnt Church fishing agreement-in principle (02/08/02)

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FREDERICTON (CNB) -- Justice Minister Brad Green, Minister responsible for Aboriginal Affairs, said he is very happy to learn that a fishing agreement-in principle has been signed between the Burnt Church First Nation and the federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO).

"I'm very pleased with the agreement and I wish to praise and congratulate the community and DFO who have both worked very hard to reach this important agreement."

The minister said the agreement will have a positive impact on the economy of Burnt Church and the province. "I look forward to future fishing seasons, and a new harmony between both parties," Green said.

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